

Listing of the Claims:

Claims 1-59: (Cancelled).

Claim 60: (Currently Amended) A method comprising:

~~establishing, at a computing device, a connection between a first mobile communication device and the computing device, wherein the computing device is different from the first mobile communication device;~~

displaying, at the ~~a~~ computing device, a user interface comprising a list of personalized information types;

receiving, through the user interface displayed at the computing device, ~~a~~ individual user selections of multiple types of personalized information to transfer from the ~~a~~ first mobile communication device to the computing device, wherein the multiple types of personalized information includes at least one of: ~~settings of the first mobile communication device, a~~ calendar, a phonebook and a message;

receiving user input corresponding to a command to initiate transfer of the ~~selected~~ personalized information corresponding to the selected types of personalized information from the first mobile communication device to the computing device, wherein the user selections of the personalized information types is ~~are~~ different from the user input corresponding to the command to initiate transfer and wherein the user selections of the information types is ~~are~~ received prior to receiving the command to initiate transfer of the ~~selected~~ personalized information;

initiating transfer of the ~~selected~~ personalized information from the first mobile communication device to the computing device in response to receiving the command; and

storing, at the computing device, a backup copy of the personalized information transferred from a memory of the first mobile communication device in a memory of the computing device.

Claim 61: (Previously Presented) The method of claim 60, wherein the established connection is a wire-based data connection.

Claim 62: (Currently Amended) The method of claim 60, wherein the selections of the personalized information ~~types~~ ~~is~~ ~~are~~ received by a data transfer application executing on the computing device.

Claim 63: (Previously Presented) The method of claim 60, further comprising sending the personalized information to a second mobile communication device.

Claim 64: (Currently Amended) The method of claim 63, further comprising:
evaluating, by the computing device, the second mobile communication device's capabilities to receive the personalized information, wherein the personalized information includes at least one information record, each of the at least one information record corresponding to a single entry in the at least one of: ~~the settings of the first mobile communication device~~, the calendar, the phonebook and the message; and
reformatting, by the computing device, each of the at least one information record in accordance with the second mobile communication device's capabilities prior to sending the personalized information to the second mobile communication device.

Claim 65: (Previously Presented) The method of claim 64, wherein the second mobile communication device's capabilities include an available data field size for storing each of the at least one information record.

Claim 66: (Previously Presented) The method of claim 65, wherein reformatting each of the at least one information record includes truncating each of the at least one information record to fit within the available data field size of the second mobile communication device.

Claim 67: (Previously Presented) The method of claim 64, wherein reformatting the personalized information includes modifying a data type of the at least one information record.

Claim 68: (Currently Amended) One or more computer readable media storing computer readable instructions that, when executed, cause an apparatus to:

~~establish a connection between a first mobile communication device and the apparatus;~~
display, at the apparatus, a user interface comprising a list of personalized information types;
receive, through the user interface, ~~a~~ individual user selections of multiple personalized information types to transfer from ~~the~~ a first mobile communication device to the apparatus, wherein the personalized information includes at least one of: ~~settings of the first mobile communication device;~~ a calendar, a phonebook and a message;
receive user input corresponding to a command to initiate transfer of ~~the selected~~ personalized information corresponding to the selected personalized information types from the first mobile communication device to the apparatus, wherein the user selections of the personalized information types ~~is~~ are different from the user input corresponding to the command and wherein the user selections ~~is~~ are received prior to receiving the command to initiate transfer of the selected personalized information;
initiate transfer of the ~~selected~~ personalized information from the first mobile communication device to the apparatus in response to receiving the command; and
store a backup copy of the personalized information transferred from a memory of the first mobile communication device in a memory of the apparatus.

Claim 69: (Previously Presented) The one or more computer readable media of claim 68, wherein the established connection is a wire-based data connection.

Claim 70: (Currently Amended) The one or more computer readable media of claim 68, wherein the selections of the types of personalized information is received by a data transfer application executing on the apparatus.

Claim 71: (Previously Presented) The one or more computer readable media of claim 68, wherein the computer readable instructions, when executed, further cause the apparatus to send the personalized information to a second mobile communication device.

Claim 72: (Currently Amended) The one or more computer readable media of claim 71, wherein the computer readable instructions, when executed, further cause the apparatus to:

evaluate the second mobile communication device's capabilities to receive the personalized information, wherein the personalized information includes at least one information record, each of the at least one information record corresponding to a single entry in the at least one of: ~~the settings of the first mobile communication device~~, the calendar, the phonebook and the message; and

reformat each of the at least one information record in accordance with the second mobile communication device's capabilities prior to sending the personalized information to the second mobile communication device.

Claim 73: (Previously Presented) The one or more computer readable media of claim 72, wherein the second mobile communication device's capabilities include an available data field size for storing each of the at least one information record.

Claim 74: (Currently Amended) An apparatus comprising:

a processor; and

memory operatively coupled to the processor and storing computer readable instructions that, when executed, cause the apparatus to:

~~establish a connection between a first mobile communication device and the apparatus;~~

display, at the apparatus, a user interface comprising a list of personalized information types;

receive, through the user interface, ~~a~~individual user selections of multiple personalized information types to transfer from ~~the~~a first mobile communication device to the apparatus, wherein the personalized information includes at least one of: ~~settings of the first mobile communication device~~, a calendar, a phonebook and a message;

receive user input corresponding to a command to initiate transfer of ~~the selected~~ personalized information corresponding to the selected multiple personalized information types from the first mobile communication device to the ~~apparatus~~, wherein the user selections of the

personalized information ~~types~~ is ~~are~~ different from the user input corresponding to the command and wherein the user selections ~~is~~ are received prior to receiving the command to initiate transfer of the selected personalized information;

initiate the transfer of the ~~selected~~ personalized information from the first mobile communication device to the apparatus in response to receiving the command; and

store a backup copy of the personalized information transferred from a memory of the first mobile communication device in the memory of the apparatus.

Claim 75: (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 74, wherein the computer readable instructions, when executed, further cause the apparatus to send the personalized information to a second mobile communication device.

Claim 76: (Currently Amended) The apparatus of claim 75, wherein the computer readable instructions, when executed, further cause the apparatus to:

evaluate the second mobile communication device's capabilities to receive the personalized information, wherein the personalized information includes at least one information record, each of the at least one information record corresponding to a single entry in the at least one of: ~~settings of the first mobile communication device~~, the calendar, the phonebook and the message; and

reformat each of the at least one information record in accordance with the second mobile communication device's capabilities prior to sending the personalized information to the second mobile communication device.

Claim 77: (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 76, wherein the second mobile communication device's capabilities include an available data field size for storing each of the at least one information record.

Claim 78: (Currently Amended) A method comprising:

receiving, at a computing device, a request to write previously stored personalized information stored at the computing device to a first mobile communication device different

from the computing device, ~~wherein the previously stored personalized information is received from a second mobile communication device different from the first mobile communication device;~~

displaying, ~~at~~ by the computing device, a selection interface including a list of a plurality of personalized information types previously stored at the computing device, wherein the plurality of previously stored personalized information types includes at least one of: ~~mobile communication device settings;~~ a calendar, a phonebook and a message;

receiving, through an input of the computing device, ~~a~~ individual user selections of the multiple previously stored personalized information types from the list of ~~the plurality of~~ previously stored personalized information types in the displayed selection interface to send to the first mobile communication device, the input being different from the first mobile communication device; and

~~upon receiving the~~ after receiving the individual user selections, sending ~~the selected~~ previously stored personalized information corresponding to the selected personalized information types to the first mobile communication device from the computing device.

Claim 79: (Currently Amended) The method of claim 78, further comprising:

evaluating the first mobile communication device's capabilities to receive the selected previously stored personalized information, wherein the previously stored personalized information includes at least one information record, each of the at least one information record corresponding to a single entry in the at least one of: mobile communication device settings, the calendar, the phonebook and the message; and

reformatting each of the at least one information record in accordance with the mobile communication device's capabilities prior to sending the previously stored personalized information to the first mobile communication device.

Claim 80: (Previously Presented) The method of claim 79, wherein the first mobile communication device's capabilities include an available data field size for storing each of the at least one information record.

Claim 81: (Previously Presented) The method of claim 80, wherein reformatting each of the at least one information record includes truncating each of the at least one information record to fit within the data field size of the first mobile communication device.

Claim 82: (Previously Presented) The method of claim 79, wherein reformatting the at least one information record includes modifying a data type of at least one field of the at least one information record.

Claim 83: (Currently Amended) One or more computer readable media storing computer readable instructions that, when executed, cause an apparatus to:

receive a request to write previously stored personalized information stored at the apparatus to a first mobile communication device different from the apparatus, ~~wherein the previously stored personalized information is received from a second mobile communication device different from the first mobile communication device;~~

display a selection interface including a list of a plurality of personalized information types previously stored at the apparatus, wherein the plurality of previously stored personalized information types includes at least one of: ~~mobile communication device settings, a calendar, a phonebook and a message;~~

receive, through an input of the apparatus, a individual user selections of the multiple ~~previously personalized information types~~ from the list of the plurality of previously stored personalized information types in the displayed selection interface to send to the first mobile communication device, wherein the input is different from the first mobile communication device; and

~~upon after~~ receiving the individual user selections of the multiple personalized ~~information types~~, send ~~the selected~~ previously stored personalized information corresponding to the selected personalized information types to the first mobile communication device from the apparatus.

Claim 84: (Currently Amended) The one or more computer readable media of claim 83 wherein the computer readable instructions, when executed, further cause the apparatus to:

evaluate the first mobile communication device's capabilities to receive the selected personalized information, wherein the ~~selected~~ personalized information includes at least one information record, each of the at least one information record corresponding to a single entry in the at least one of: ~~the settings of the first mobile communication device, the calendar, the phonebook and the message; and~~

reformat each of the at least one information record in accordance with the first mobile communication device's capabilities prior to sending the personalized information to the first mobile communication device.

Claim 85: (Previously Presented) The one or more computer readable media of claim 84, wherein the first mobile communication device's capabilities include a data field size of a data record for storing the personalized information.

Claim 86: (Previously Presented) The one or more computer readable media of claim 85, wherein reformatting each of the at least one information record includes truncating each of the at least one information record to fit within the data field size of the first mobile communication device.

Claim 87: (Currently Amended) An apparatus comprising:
a processor; and
memory operatively coupled to the processor and storing computer readable instructions that, when executed, cause the apparatus to:

receive a request to write previously stored personalized information stored at the apparatus to a first mobile communication device different from the apparatus, ~~wherein the previously stored personalized information is received from a second mobile communication device different from the first mobile communication device;~~

display a selection interface including a list of a plurality of personalized information types previously stored at the apparatus wherein the plurality of previously stored personalized information types includes at least one of: ~~mobile communication device settings, a calendar, a phonebook and a message;~~

receive, through an input of the apparatus, ~~a~~individual user selections of ~~the~~
~~multiple previously~~ personalized information types from the list of the plurality of previously
stored personalized information types in the displayed selection interface to transfer from the
computing device to the first mobile communication device, wherein the input is different from
the first mobile communication device; and

~~upon~~after receiving the individual user selections, send ~~the selected~~ previously
stored personalized information corresponding to the selected personalized information types to
the first mobile communication device from the apparatus.

Claim 88: (Currently Amended) The apparatus of claim 87, wherein the computer readable
instructions, when executed, further cause the apparatus to:

evaluate the first mobile communication device's capabilities to receive the ~~selected~~
previously stored personalized information, wherein the ~~selected~~ previously stored personalized
information includes at least one information record, each of the at least one information record
corresponding to a single entry in the at least one of: ~~the mobile communication device settings,~~
the calendar, the phonebook and the message; and

reformat each of the at least one information record in accordance with the first mobile
communication device's capabilities prior to sending the personalized information to the first
mobile communication device.

Claim 89: (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 88, wherein the first mobile
communication device's capabilities include an available data field size for storing each of the at
least one information record.

Claim 90: (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 89, wherein reformatting
each of the at least one information record includes truncating each of the at least one
information record to fit within the data field size of the first mobile communication device.

Claim 91: (New) The apparatus of claim 87, wherein sending the previously stored
personalized information includes:

displaying, in a list, each of the selected personalized information types that has not been sent to the first mobile communication device in a first state and each of the selected personalized information type that has been sent to the first mobile communication device in a second state different from the first state.

Claim 92: (New) The apparatus of claim 87, wherein sending the previously stored personalized information includes:

transmitting, to the first mobile communication device, a request to write a first information record of the previously stored personalized information; and

in response to the request, receiving an indication from the first mobile communication device, the indication specifying whether the first information record already exists in the first mobile communication device.

Claim 93: (New) The apparatus of claim 92, wherein sending the previously stored personalized information further includes:

determining whether the first information record has been flagged, wherein flagging of an information record indicates that the information record is empty; and

evaluating the first information record in relation to data field information received from the first mobile communication device only when the first information has not been flagged.

Claim 94: (New) The apparatus of claim 93, wherein flagging of empty information records is performed upon receipt of the information record at the apparatus.